

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 1797  
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 Serial No. 10/563,308 ) Confirmation No.: 6944  
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 Filed: March 9, 2007 ) AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE  
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 Atty. File No. 3797BC-1 )  
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 For: "A DEVICE FOR )  
 DISSOLVING SOLID SUBSTANCES)  
 IN WATER" )

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of May 18, 2009. A request for extension of time accompanies this Amendment and Response extending the period for response to October 18, 2009. If any additional fees are due, please deduct such fees from Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.